

Whiskey Fire Update ~ August 19, 2012

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Start: 8/19/2012

Location: SE of Heber, Utah

Cause: Human Caused

Size: 272 acres

Fuels: Oak Brush & Timber

Observed Fire Behavior: Single tree torching, interior smoke

Assigned Resources: 7 crews, 3 engines, 2 helicopters, misc. overhead personnel

Containment: 30%

Evacuations: None

Remarks:

Today, crews made significant progress constructing containment lines. Most of the effort was focused on the western flank of the fire closest to the Heber Valley. A system of pumps and fire hose has been placed along the entire western edge.

The fire area remains at 272 acres and no new growth occurred today. Crews are expected to transition into mop-up operations tomorrow afternoon.

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